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Transmitted herewith for filing is the ☒ utility patent application of:

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For : METHOD FOR TREATING CERAMIC CORES

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- ☒ Specification (9 pages), Claims (2 pages), and Abstract (1 page)
- ☐ Declaration
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- ☐ Assignment
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